

*Kang*  
Lew:

STATINTL Sorry to say that [ ] got cold feet at last minute on this package and asked that I tone it down a bit. Hence the rewrite.

I took the opportunity to add some "shock" statistics (in paragraph 3 of memo to DDP - and paragraph 8 of memo to DDS). I used some rather "tricky" math but I think it is an honest figure that we can defend if challenged (better let me do the defending since its basically my formula).

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I am still waiting for DDS formal "concurrence" to procede. Coffey simply hasn't had time to read this package. But [ ] and Bob Wattles have and they are all for this approach. Charlie even recommended that we go DIRECTLY to Tom K. with the memo - and have Coffey sign it. Although this might be a good idea -- it would only delay action another 3 weeks as Tom K. is on leave until 23 August.

I waited until 10 August for Coffey's formal decision, (but didn't get it yet) in meantime I jumped the gun a bit and sent the other memo to Chief/ISD/DDP so he could at least have a head start in a plan of actions (I haven't told the DDS front office about premature release of the memo to DDP).

STATINTL I did call [ ] and asked him to get a hold of the memo and hold down ISD action until I get Coffey's decision.

[ ] STATINTL

*discussed w/ Coffey - [ ] - 23 August. ILLEGIB*  
*He agreeable to go either way - (i.e. DDP to DDP*  
*or C/SSS to - C/ISD/DDP) - wanted me to*  
*call Ed M. on their preference! - I chose this*  
*and they said go as is first round - me & them!*

STATINTL *I then told [ ] to date my memo 23 Aug.*  
*and start action -*